PREGNANCY RESOURCES

PREGNANCY TESTING Please call for appointments	
Birthright of Winston-Salem <i>FREE</i>	336-774-0456
Family Planning Clinic – Forsyth County Department of Public Health**	336-703-3100
Planned Parenthood/Winston-Salem Health Center**	336-768-2980
Salem Pregnancy Care Center FREE	336-760-3680
Today's Woman OB/GYN (Monday's only)	336-722-1818

**Places t	hat offer	reduced	rates.

FAMILY PLANNING/BIRTH CONTROL	
Family Planning Clinic - Forsyth County	336-703-3100
Department of Public Health	
NC Emergency Contraception Hotline	866-942-7762
Planned Parenthood/Winston-Salem Health	336-768-2980
Center	
Also quailable at all of the listed Duanatal Cana Duavidaus	

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PRENATAL CARE PROVIDERS	(OB/GYN)
Ardmore Family Practice Comprehensive	336-659-0076
Family and Maternity Care	
Center for Women's Health	336-992-5120
Downtown Health Plaza (reduced fees)	336-713-9800
Hawthorne OB/GYN Associates, PA	336-768-3632
High Point OB/GYN	336-802-2120
Lyndhurst Gynecologic Associates, PA	
Winston-Salem office	336-765-9350
Kernersville office	336-993-4532
	336-789-9076
Mt. Airy office	
Pinewest OB/GYN, Inc.	336-885-0149
Southside United Health & Wellness	336-293-8728
Center	
Today's Woman OB/GYN	336-722-1818
Triad Women's Center (High Point)	336-841-6574
Triad OB/GYN (Dr. Lewis Lipscomb)	
Dr. Thomas Valaoras & Dr. Andrew Lewis	336-659-4777
Wake Forest Baptist Health- Family	336-716-4479
Practice	
Wake Forest University - OB/GYN Com-	336-716-4039
prehensive Fetal Care Center	
Dr. Jonathan Weston	336-725-8874
Winston-Salem Womancare, PA	336-765-5470
(Accepts Medicaid for established patients)	
Women's Center of Lexington	336-243-2431
All providers accept Medicaid	

CHILDBIRTH EDUCATION CLASSES	
Forsyth County Department of Public	336-703-3206
Health - Lamaze classes	
Forsyth Health Connection	336-718-7000
Birth and Beginnings, Infant CPR classes,	
Maternity Tours, Sibling classes, etc.	
Today's Woman Health and Wellness	336-722-1818
Center	
For private providers, check the telephone directory or your prena-	

For private providers, check the telephone directory or your prenatal care provider.

DOULAS – BIRTH AND POSTPARTUM	
CAPPA – Childbirth and Postpartum Pro-	888-692-2772
fessional Association www.cappa.net	
DONA – Doulas of North America	888- 788-3662
www.dona.org	
PADA – Piedmont Area Doula	336-397-1008
Association	866-469-0313
www.padanc.org	

PRENATAL/PARENTING C	LASSES
Forsyth Hope Connections	336-718-7000
Breastfeeding classes, Infant massage,	
Prenatal yoga, Postnatal yoga	
HOPE Classes – Salem Pregnancy Care	336-760-3680
Imprints	336-713-9732
Prenatal Parenting Classes – Family and	336-703-3206
Community Health Education and Out-	
reach, Forsyth County Department of	
Public Health.	
The Parent Review - A weekly online	Click on
newsletter for expectant families	"services" and
up to age 3	"women's ser-
www.forsythmedicalcenter.org	vices"
Today's Woman Health and Wellness	336-722-1818
Center	
Welcome Baby	336-725-2229

INFERTILITY	
Chapel Hill Tubal Reversal Center	919-968-4656
Wake Forest University School of Medicine	336-716-6476

ADOPTION OPTIONS	
Birthright of Winston-Salem	336-774-0456
Catholic Social Services	336-727-0705
Children's Home Society – 24 hour counseling line	800-632-1400
Family Services	336-722-8173
Forsyth County Department of Social Services	336-703-3656
Salem Pregnancy Care Center	336-760-3680

PREGNANCY TERMINATION OPTIONS	
Planned Parenthood	336-768-2980
A Woman's Choice of North Carolina	336-632-9999

PREGNANT TEENS SUPPORT	
Forsyth County Department of Public Health – Healthy Beginnings	336-703-3183
Forsyth County Department of Public Health – Nurse Family Partnership	336-703-3185
Forsyth County Department of Public Health — Pregnancy Care Management	336-703-3200
Hand to Hand – Catholic Social Services	336-725-4263
Imprints	336-713-9732
School Social Worker for teen parents and their babies – Winston-Salem/Forsyth County Schools Teen Hope Classes – Salem Pregnancy Care	336-414-0875 336-345-8693 (bilingual line)
Teen Hope Classes – Salem Pregnancy Care	336-760-3680

HOUSING FOR PREGNANT WOMEN		
Family Services	336-722-8173	
Florence Crittenton Services	800-448-0024	
Room at the Inn	336-996-3788	
Department of Social Services - State Maternity Fund Placement	336-703-3385	

SMOKING CESSATION RESOURCES		
Forsyth County Department of Public	336-703-3194	
Health – Classes for pregnant women		

The **Pregnancy Care Management** program at the Forsyth County Department of Public Health provides care management services for high risk women during pregnancy and for two months after delivery by a social worker or nurse.

What will a Pregnancy Care Manager do for you?

- Help you identify your needs and make a plan to address them.
- Work closely with you and your doctor to understand your needs.
- Help arrange transportation to medical appointments, if needed.
- Help you manage any medicines that you might have.
- Work hand in hand with you to help you have a healthy baby.

For additional information, please call **336-703-3200**.

Text BABY to 511411

Sign up and get free messages each week on your cell phone to help you through your pregnancy and baby's first year of life!

Text4baby is an educational program of the National Healthy Mothers, Healthy Babies Coalition.

TEXT MESSAGES ARE FREE!

www.text4baby.org

PREVENT PRETERM LABOR!

Preterm or premature labor happens when a woman goes into labor before 37 weeks. (3 weeks prior to their due date) This is too early for a baby to be born. Babies born too soon can have lifelong or life-threatening health problems.

KNOW THE WARNING SIGNS OF PRETERM LABOR Contractions (abdomen tightens like a fist) every 10 minutes or more often.

Changes in vaginal discharge (leaking fluid or bleeding from vagina).

Pelvic pressure – the feeling that baby is pushing down.

Low, dull backache.

Cramps that feel like your period.

Abdominal cramps with or without diarrhea.

WHAT YOU SHOULD DO IF YOU THINK YOU ARE HAVING PRETERM LABOR

Call health care provider (nurse, doctor or midwife) or go to the hospital right away if you think you are having preterm labor.

Call even if you have only one sign.

YOUR HEALTH CARE PROVIDER MAY TELL YOU TO:

Come into the office or go to the hospital for a checkup.

Stop what you are doing. Rest on left side for one hour.

Drink 2-3 glasses of water or juice (not coffee or soda).

If the symptoms get worse or do not go away after one hour, call provider again or go to the hospital. If the symptoms get better, relax for the rest of the day.

Source: March of Dimes Foundation

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ADVOCACY	
Children's Law Center	336-725-9166
Lawyer Referral Service	800-662-7407
Legal Aid North Carolina	336-725-9162

BREASTFEEDING	
Ameda	1-855-443-
(breastfeeding equipment rental)	5463
Forsyth Medical Center Nursing Mother's Center and	336-718-5636
Nursing Matters: Free support group (1 st & 3 rd Thursday, 11:30 am – 12:30 pm)	
Imprints	336-713-9732
La Leche League	877-452-5324
Medela, Inc. (breastfeeding equipment rental referral)	800-TELL-YOU (800-835-5968)
Women, Infants and Children (WIC) - Forsyth County Department of Public Health	336-703-3359

CHILD CARE	
Child Care Aware (www.childcareaware.org)	800-424-2246
Child Care Resource and Referrals Work Family Resource Center (Services in English and Spanish) www.workfamilyresource.org	336-761-5100 800-937-7610
 Financial Assistance for Childcare Department of Social Services Work Family Resource Center 	336-703-3805 336-761-5100
Grow a Child website – link to local resources (www.growachild.org)	
Family Services Child Development	336-727-0617
NC PK	336-714-7520
NC Division of Child Development (http://ncchildcare.dhhs.state.nc.us)	800-859-0829
Smart Start of Forsyth County	336-725-6011
Winston-Salem/Forsyth County Schools Pre-Kindergarten Program	336-771-4731

DOMESTIC VIOLENCE		
Battered Women's Shelter (crisis number 24 hours), Family Services	333-723-8125	
24 hour sexual assault crises line	336-722-4457	
National Domestic Violence Hotline	800-799-7233	
Next Step Ministries (shelter)	336-413-5858	
Safe on Seven	336-761-2320	
For Emergencies	911	

COUNSELING AND CRISES INTERVENTION		
ACCESS – CenterPoint Crisis Line	888-581-9988	
Associates in Christian Counseling	336-896-0065	
Battered Women's Shelter (crisis number	336-723-8125	
24 hours)		
CareNet of the Triad	336-716-0822	
Catholic Social Services	336-714-3232	
CenterPoint Human Services – see web- page for list of providers <u>www.cphs</u> .org	888-581-9988	
Child Abuse Crisis Intervention	800-422-4453	
Child Protective Services – Forsyth County Department of Social Services	336-703-3500	
Exchange/SCAN	336-748-9028	
Family Services	336-722-8173	
Forsyth Medical Center		
Balance After Baby - Support Group	336-718-5888	
Balance After Baby - Help Line	877-395-6667	
Insight Human Services	336-725-8389	
Postpartum Depression Helpline (national)	800-944-4773	
www.postpartum.net		
Safe Surrender	336-703-3400	
<u>www.safesurrender.net</u>	or 911	
Trinity Center	336-725-3999	
Welcome Baby		
Baby Warmline (24 hour service)	336-725-2229	
Community Choices, Inc.	336-397-7500	
Women's and Infants Services for Health		
(WISH)		
Youth Opportunities	336-724-1412	

DENTAL HEALTH		
Smilestarters (ages 1-20) **	336-777-1272	
Cleveland Avenue Dental Center**	336-703-3090	
FTCC Dental Hygiene Clinic (ages 3 & up, limited services, reduced fees)	336-734-7550	
Dr. Perry Jeffries (ages 1-18) **	336-748-0033	
Dr. Suzanne Newsome (ages 3 & up) **	336-945-2403	
Dr. Yen Nyugen (ages 3 & up) **	336-245-2690	
Dr. Mark Oliver (ages 6 & up) **	336-724-5054	
Dr. Eric Sadler (adult Medicaid for partials, denture & extractions only) **	336-744-1300	
Dr. Bruce Peller and Dr. Paula Henao	336-759-0651	
Dr. Sidney Teague II (accepts adult Medicaid for specific services)	336-765-6315	
Rescue Mission Dental Clinic 717 Oak Street 2 nd , 4 th Thurs/month, 7-9am	336-723-1848	
** Accept Medicaid and Health Chaice		

**Accept Medicaid and Health Choice

It is recommended that all pregnant women receive a routine dental checkup during their pregnancy

FAMILY HEALTH SERVICES		FAMILY SUPPORT AND EDUCATION		
Bethany Baptist Church Medical Clinic 336-767-0760		Alpha and Omega Church	336-748-8797	
(2 nd Saturday, 9am-12pm)	330-707-0700	American Academy of Pediatrics (national)	800-433-9016	
Community Care Center	336-723-6722	www.aap.org		
		American Red Cross	336-724-0511	
Downtown Health Plaza (reduced fees)	336-713-9800	(Infant/Child CPR classes)	222 525 525	
New extended hours: Monday-Friday: 8am – 8pm		American Lung Association of North Caro-	800-586-6872	
Saturday: 9am – 1pm		lina Catholic Charities	336-727-0705	
Sunday: 1 pm – 5 pm		Childhood Lead Poisoning Prevention Pro-	336-727-0703	
Immunization Clinic and information –	336-703-3314	gram	330-703-3174	
Forsyth County Department of Public	336-703-3100	Exchange/SCAN - Parent Aide Services	336-748-9028	
Health		Experiment in Self-Reliance (ESR)	336-722-9400	
Green Street United Methodist Church	336-722-8379	Family Services	336-722-8173	
Health Clinic (Each Wed., 6:30-7:15pm)	226 514 2250	Forsyth Medical Center – baby sign lan-	336-718-7000	
Med-Aid/Forsyth, Stokes, Davie Co.	336-714-2359	guage, Infant/Child CPR classes, infant	330-718-7000	
Old Town Family Medicine	336-922-1363	massage classes		
Rescue Mission Medical Clinic	336-723-1848	Forsyth Technical Community College	336-723-0371	
710 North Trade Street, Every Monday and	330-723-1040	Goodwill Industries of NWNC	336-724-3621	
Thursday, 7-9 a.m. (adults only)		Healthy Beginnings	336-703-3183	
Southside United Health & Wellness Cen-	336-293-8728	Hand to Hand (for first time teen mothers at	336-725-4263	
ter		Catholic Charities)	ext. 220 or 223	
Southside Baptist Church Clinic	336-723-0395	Healthy Start/Baby Love Plus -	336-703-3189	
Today's Woman Health and Wellness Cen-	336-722-1818	Forsyth County Department of Public		
ter	722 1010	Health		
Trinity Moravian Church-Sunnyside Clinic	336-703-3200	Heartstrings Pregnancy and Infant Loss	336-335-9931	
$(1^{st}/3^{rd} \text{ Thursday}, 5:30-7:30pm)$		Support	226.006.2100	
Free or at a reduced rate for children		Homecoming Program - Advance Home 336-896-3100 Health		
FATHER SUPPORT		Imprints 336-713-9732		
Fatherhood Advisory Board - Forsyth	336-703-3391		336-722-6296	
County Department of Public Health		Incredible Years Parenting Class - Forsyth	336-703-3391	
Fathers Matter - Welcome Baby	336-725-2229	County Department of Public Health		
Harlda Davinska Harld Davidovad	ext. 116	Insight Human Services	336-725-8389	
Healthy Beginnings - Health Department	336-703-3391	Nurse Family Partnership-Health Department	336-703-3185	
Imprints	336-713-9732	Twins Club	336-924-0214	
FINANCIAL ASSISTAN		Welcome Baby - Home visitation program	336-725-2229	
Catholic Charities	336-727-0705	and the Under Five Support Group	ext. 125	
Child Support Enforcement	336-703-3801	HEALTH CARE ASSISTA	NCE	
Crisis Control Ministries	336-724-7453	Health Care ACCESS	336-723-6565	
Crisis Intervention Program	336-703-3785			
Forsyth County Fire Department	336-727-8084	Health Check/Health Choice - Forsyth County Department of Public Health	336-703-3223	
(smoke detectors)		(low cost health insurance for children)		
Home Savers USA	800-452-9572	Medicaid - Forsyth County Department of	336-703-3803	
Rescue Mission	336-723-1848	Social Services	220 702-2002	
Social Security Administration	1-877-402-0828	North Carolina Family Planning Waiver	800-367-2229	
Sunnyside Ministry of the Moravian	336-724-7558	· · ·		
Church Tried First in Families	226 757 9721	Pregnant Women's Medicaid	336-703-3803	
Triad First in Families	336-757-8721	HOCDITALC		

Brenner Children's Hospital

Wake Forest University Baptist Medical Center

Forsyth Medical Center

FOR EMERGENCIES

336-722-8173

336-727-0705

ext. 222

Ways to Work

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Wee Care Shoppe at Catholic Social Ser-

HOSPITALS

336-716-9253

336-718-5000

336-716-2011

911

HISPANIC SERVICES		
Casa Guadalupe - Catholic Social Services	336-727-4745	
Imprints	336-713-9732	
International Center -FTCC	336-631-1325	
Hispanic Service - Forsyth County Public Library	336-703-2907	
International Corps Community Center (ESL classes)	336-499-1196	
NC Family Health Resource Line	800-976-1922	
Salvation Army Hispanic Services	336-788-7502	

HOUSING	
Experiment in Self Reliance (ESR)	336-722-9400
Family Services Women's Shelter	336-723-8125
Forsyth Housing	336-703-2680
Habitat for Humanity, Inc.	336-765-8854
Housing Authority of Winston-Salem	336-727-8500
Salvation Army Shelter	336-722-9597

INFORMATION AND REFERRAL	RESOURCES
Birth Certificates - Forsyth County Register of Deeds	336-703-2700
Department of Health & Human Services' Care-Line	800-662-7030
First Line of Forsyth County	336-703-3000
Forsyth Family (monthly magazine) www.forsythfamilymagazine.com	888-892-3204
Forsyth Woman (monthly magazine) www.forsythwoman.com	336-749-1947
March of Dimes Birth Defects Foundation	336-723-4386
NC Family Health Resource Line	800-367-2229
Piedmont Parent (monthly magazine) www.piedmontparent.com	336-983-4789
United Way 211 Call 211 or	800-788-7232

NUTRITION	
Expanded Foods Nutrition Education Program (EFNEP) – Cooperative Extension Service	336-703-2850
Food Stamps – Forsyth County Department of Social Services	336-703-3800
Nursing Mothers' Center – Forsyth Medical Center	336-718-5636
Women, Infants and Children (WIC) – Forsyth County Department of Public Health	336-703-3100

PEDIATRIC CARE PROVIDERS All accept Medicaid	
Arcadia Family Practice	336-764-2324
Ardmore Family Practice	336-659-0076
Cedar Creek Family Medicine	336-784-0505
Clemmons Family Practice	336-766-6473
Downtown Health Plaza (reduced fees) New extended hours: Monday - Friday: 5:15–7 pm Saturday: 9:15 am - Noon Sunday: 1 – 5 pm	336-713-9800 Please call for an appointment.
Family Medical Associates of Lewisville	336-712-0700
Ford, Simpson, Lively and Rice Peds	336-794-3380
Forsyth Family Practice	336-768-9515
Forsyth Pediatrics – Robinhood Road	336-718-8000
Forsyth Pediatrics – Westgate	336-718-7777
Kernersville Family Practice	336-993-8181
Kernersville Pediatrics	336-996-3001
Kernersville Primary Care	336-993-1618
Maplewood Family Practice	336-718-0800
North Point Medical Associates	336-759-7596
Peace Haven Family Medicine	336-760-5400
Piedmont Triad Family Medicine	336-993-2224
Pine Ridge Family Practice	336-983-3878
Salem Family Practice	336-718-7800
Stallings and Billings Family Practice	336-969-9158
Southside United Health & Wellness Center	336-293-8728
Today's Woman Pediatrics	336-722-1818
Total Family Care of Winston-Salem	336-760-8380
Wake Forest University Family Physicians	336-716-4479
Walkertown Family Practice	336-595-3699
West Forsyth Family Practice	336-766-0547
Westgate Pediatrics	336-774-0710
Winston East Pediatrics	336-713-8860
Winston-Salem Health Care	336-718-1000
Winston-Salem Pediatrics	336-765-9000

SAFETY	
Forsyth County Sheriff	336-727-2112
Kernersville Police Department	336-996-3177
Winston-Salem Police Department	336-773-7700
For Emergencies	911

SMOKING CESSATION RESOURCES	
Forsyth County Department of Public Health – classes for pregnant women	336-703-3206
Fresh Start - American Cancer Society	336-834-0844
North Carolina Quitline - 1-800-QUIT-NOW (free personal coaching until midnight each night)	800-784-8669

SOCIAL SUPPORT	
Battered Women's Shelter Crisis Line, 24 hour services - Family Services	336-723-8125
CenterPoint Human Services - see webpage for list of providers www.cphs.org	888-581-9988
Family Services	336-722-8173
Forsyth County Department of Public Health - Pregnancy Care Management	336-703-3200
Heartstrings Pregnancy and Infant Loss Support	336-335-9931
Imprints	336-713-9732
Pregnancy Resource and Referral Healthy Start/Baby Love Plus - Forsyth County Department of Public Health	336-703-3189
Welcome Baby	336-725-2229

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SPECIAL NEEDS	
ABC of NC Child Development Center	336-251-1180
AIDS Care Service, Inc.	336-722-6909
Amos Cottage Therapeutic Day Program	336-713-7400
Autism Society of North Carolina	800-442-2762
Centerpoint Human Services	336-714-9100
Child Coordination for Children (CC4C) at the Forsyth County Department of Public Health	336-703-3242
Children's Center for the Physically Disabled	336-727-2440
Children's Development Service Agency	336-713-7412
Family Support Network	336-924-5301
Family Support Program of Chapel Hill	800-852-0042
Governor Morehead's Preschool for the Visually Impaired	336-334-3748
Educational Services for the Deaf and Blind	336-273-6462
Elementary Academy	336-748-4133
Piedmont Down Syndrome Support Network	336-480-8871
Ronald McDonald House	336-723-0228
Special Children's School	336-924-9309
The Special Needs Help Line	800-737-3028

TRANSPORTATION	
Winston-Salem Transit Authority (www.wstransit.com)	336-727-2000

SUBSTANCE ABUSE SUPPORT	
Community Choices, Inc Women's and Infants Services for Health (WISH)	336-397-7500 Option 7
Fetal Alcohol and Drug Program at Wake Forest University Baptist Medical Center	336-716-2011
Insight Human Services	336-725-8389
Service Access Line at CenterPoint	888-581-9988

Preconception

Wellness...



As couples prepare for pregnancy, it is easy to focus only on the woman's health. However, becoming healthier and more fit in the preconception period, the time before pregnancy, is not just a concern of the woman, but of the couple.

Here is our *parents-to-be* to do list:

- Get a check up hypertension, diabetes, obesity, STDs, and everyday stressors may affect sexual health.
- Move more, eat less exercise and healthy and nutritious eating are good for a host of ailments.
- Stop smoking, drinking alcohol, and using recreational drugs.
- Finally, partners should consider their emotional health; new moms and even dads may suffer some form of postpartum depression.



Forsyth County Healthy Start Baby Love Plus is committed to the promotion of women, children, and families' health and meets different

segments of the community to provide education and to offer support in accessing local services. Our focus means that community conversations center on health issues and concerns of new mothers, women, children, and families. We offer post-partum follow-up for families for two years.

Visit us on **Facebook** to learn more about the work we do and to join us in discussions on matters related to women's, children's and families' health.

Call 336-703-3189.

THINGS TO DO WITH CHILDREN	
Barnes and Noble Bookstore	336-774-0800
Central YMCA	336-721-2100 x2040
Children's Museum of Winston-Salem	336-723-9111
Children's Theatre of Winston-Salem	336-725-4531
Forsyth County 4-H Clubs	336-703-2850
Forsyth County Public Library - story time	336-703-BOOK
Old Salem Museums and Gardens	336-723-7876
Sciworks	336-767-6730
Tanglewood Park	336-778-6300
Triad Mommies www.triadmommies.com	
Winston-Salem Parks and Recreation - City Links	336-727-2063

REQUIRED IMMUNIZATIONS

Immunization	Age of child
DTaP (Diphtheria, tetanus, pertussis)	2, 4, 6 & 12-18 mos, 4-6 yrs
IPV (Polio)	2, 4 & 6-18 mos, 4-6 yrs
MMR (Measles, mumps, rubella)	12-15 mos, 4-6 yrs
HiB (Haemophilus Influenzae Type B)	2, 4 & 12-15 mos
Hepatitis B	Birth, 1-2 mos, 6-18 mos
Varicella (Chickenpox)	12-18 months, 4-6 years
Prevnar (Pneumonococcal Conjugate)	2, 4, 6 & 12-15 months
Rotavirus	2, 4 & 6 mos
Influenza (Flu)	Yearly
Hepatitis A	12-23 mos (2 doses)

Forsyth County Healthy Beginnings Program

Healthy Beginnings is a free case management program focusing on women of childbearing age and their families living in Forsyth County. Healthy Beginnings provides a support system throughout pregnancy and during the first two years of their child's life. Families will receive one-on-one care management to help make the pregnancy and the beginning years with their child a healthy, enjoyable experience. The program hosts monthly education sessions and helps new mothers connect to community resources.

For more information, please call; 336-703-3183

Children's Immunization Clinic Hours Forsyth County Department of Public Health 336-703-3100

Forsyth County Department of Public Health Location: 799 N. Highland Avenue, Clinic 3

State required immunizations are free of charge.

Appointments

Walk-in basis (first come, first serve).

Clinic Hours

Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday: 8:30 am to 3:45 pm Thursday: 9:30 am to 6:45 pm Friday: 8:30 - 11:45 am

Community Clinics Trinity Moravian Church

220 E. Sprague St. 1st & 3rd Thursday each month....5:30 - 7:30 pm

Bethany Baptist Church

600 Old Hollow Road 2^{nd} Saturday each month...9:00 am - 12 Noon

Safe Sleep Tips for Baby Baby should sleep on a firm crib mattress, with a tightly fitted sheet. Baby should sleep alone in an uncluttered crib. Don't make the room too hot. Make sure baby does not overheat by keeping the room temperature between 68°F and 72°F. Never let anyone sleep with your baby. Baby should sleep on his back at all times. This is the safest position for your baby. No smoking around baby.

WIC CLINIC

WIC stands for Women, Infants, and Children and is also called the Special Supplemental Nutrition Program for Women, Infants, and Children. The Forsyth County WIC Program is able to serve English and Spanish speaking clients with a bilingual staff.

Who is Eligible

WIC is available to pregnant, breast feeding and postpartum women, infants and children up to age five. You must schedule an appointment to determine your eligibility by calling 336-703-3100. To participate persons must:

- Be a resident of Forsyth County. You must bring an ID, proof of residency and proof of income.
- Have a family income less than 185% of the U.S. Poverty Income Guidelines. For example, to qualify for the program for a family of two the maximum annual gross income is \$25,327 or \$488 a week. A person receiving Medicaid, Work First Families Assistance (TANF), or Food Stamps automatically meets the income eligibility requirement.
- Be at nutritional risk. A nutritionist or other health professional makes the nutritional risk assessment at no cost to the participant, usually at the local WIC office.

WIC Clinic Hours Forsyth County Department of Public Health 336-703-3336

Forsyth County Department of Public Health Location: 799 N. Highland Avenue Winston Salem, NC 27101 Clinic 5

Appointments

Appointments are required for services and may be made by calling (336)703-3336 or 703-3100

Clinic Hours at the Health Department:

Monday, Tuesday, & Wednesday: 7:45 am – 4:15 pm Thursday: 7:45 am - 7:30 pmFriday: 7:45 am – 4:15 pm

501 Cleveland Avenue, Suite B, site:

Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, & Thursday: 7:45 am - 6:30 pm

Closed Friday

Other sites available please call or check the website.

BREASTFEEDING CLASSES



IF YOU HAVE ANY QUESTIONS ABOUT BREAST-FEEDING, CALL THE BREASTFEEDING LINE AT 336-703-3359 or 336-703-3301 FOR SPANISH!

Infant Feeding Class 1

Topics include:

- Benefits of breastfeeding
- Myths of breastfeeding

English

- Monday at 1:30 pm
- Wednesday at 8:30 am
- Thursday at 5:30 pm (on the 2nd Thursday of the month only)

Spanish

Tuesday at 2:00 pm

Infant Feeding Class II Latch-On Class

Topics include:

- Proper positioning for latching the baby onto the breast
- Different positions while breastfeeding

English

- Monday at 2:30 pm
- Wednesday 9:30 am
- Thursday at 5:30 pm (3rd Thursday of the month only)

Spanish

- Friday at 10:30 am (1st, 3rd, 4th, and
 - 5th Friday of each month)
- Thursday at 5:30 pm (1st Thursday of the month only)

Infant Feeding Class III Pumping, Storage and For-

mula

Topics include:

How to pump milk from the breast when unable to feed

Proper storage of breast milk and an introduction to formula

- Monday at 3:30pm (1st and 3rd Monday of the month only)
- Wednesday at 10:30am (1st and 3rd Wednesday of the month only)
- Thursday at 5:30pm (4th Thursday of the month only)

Spanish

Information taught with Class II

*Limited space available: Class may be scheduled with WIC appointments for WIC clients. Clients who are not eligible for WIC must call Sheila Britt-Smith at (336) 703-3334 to schedule class prior to class times.

Folic acid:

- Taking folic acid may help prevent certain birth defects.
- Folic acid only works if a woman takes it before and during early pregnancy.
- Take a multivitamin each day that has 400 micrograms of folic acid.
- Once you are pregnant, take a prenatal vitamin with at least 600 micrograms of folic acid.

Source: March of Dimes

HIV/STD Counseling and Testing Clinic Hours Forsyth County Department of Public Health 336-703-3100

Location: 799 N. Highland Avenue, Clinic 2 Cost

There is no charge for these services.

Appointments

Not required but may be made for HIV testing only.

Call for English: 336-703-3315 for Spanish: 336-703-3091

Clinic Hours

Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday: 8:30 -11:45 am & 12:45 – 3:45 pm Thursday: 9:30 -11:45 am & 12:45 - 6:45 pm

Friday: 8:30 - 11:45 am

Sexually Transmitted Disease Clinic Hours Forsyth County Department of Public Health 336-703-3100

Location: 799 N. Highland Avenue, Clinic 2 Cost

There is no charge for these services.

Appointments

Walk-in basis (first come, first serve).

Clinic Hours

Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday: 8:30 -11:45 am And 12:45 - 3:45 pmThursday: 9:30 -11:45 am

And 12:45 - 6:45 pm Friday: 8:30 - 11:45 am

Family Planning Clinic Hours Forsyth County Department of Public Health

Forsyth County Department of Public Health Location: 799 N. Highland Avenue, Clinic 1

Cost

A sliding fee scale is used for determining charges.

Appointments

Open Access appointments are required for services, call 336-703-3100.

Clinic Hours

Monday and Wednesday: 8:30 - 11:45 am & 12:45 -3:45 pm

Tuesday: 12:30 -3:45 pm Thursday: 9:30 – 11:45 am and 12:45 - 6:45 pm Friday: 8:30 - 11:45 am

Open Access Scheduling allows you to call and come in at times convenient for you. You call between 8:00-10:00AM Monday-Friday for same day appointment.



Safety Tips!

- Use a rear facing car seat as long as possible, but at least until a child is 2 years of age or reaches the upper weight or height limit.
- Car seat checks are held on the 3rd Thursday of every month at the Downtown Health Plaza from 2:30-4:30pm. No appointment required.
- Keep small electronics or devices that use button batteries out of reach of small children, as this can be very dangerous if a child puts in his or her mouth.
- Enter the National Battery Ingestion Hotline (202-625-3333) into your phone. Call anytime for additional treatment information.
- To prevent accidental scalding, set your water heater to 120 degrees Fahrenheit or the manufacturer's recommended setting.
- Program the toll-free number for the Poison Control Center (800-222-1222) into your home and cell phone and post it on your refrigerator.

For more information, please visit www.buckleupnc.org or www.ncsafekids.org or call 800-672-4527.